




IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Dahlberg *et al.*  
Serial No.: 09/941,095  
Filed: 08/28/01  
Entitled: Kits for the Detection of Target Sequences

Group No.: 1636  
Examiner: James S. Ketter

**AMENDMENT & RESPONSE TO  
RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT  
MAILED MARCH 21, 2006**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Madam:

This communication is responsive to the Restriction Requirement mailed March 21, 2003, due on or before April 21, 2006. A petition for a one-month extension of time, to May 22, 2006, the first business day after Sunday, May 21, 2006, is included herewith. Also submitted with this communication is a copy of Form 1449 listing references cited in the parent case. Applicants request that all of these references be made of record in the present application.

In accordance with the procedure for Revised Amendment Practice under 37 C.F.R. §1.121, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.